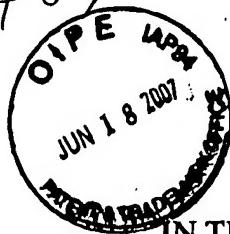


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FORMED ON PERIPHERAL WALL OF
RECESSED PORTION (as amended)

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated March 16, 2007, finally rejecting claims 1-8, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.